

The Sheets Stage Line takes you to Mercersburg for 50 cents.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Yeakle, of Mercersburg on Monday night of last week.

50 cents pays the fare one way between McConnellsburg and Mercersburg. Sheets stage line.

Mrs. Agnes Taylor, who had a stroke of paralysis two months ago, is getting along nicely.

Common fairness and honesty demands that every man who acquires property should do so by just and righteous methods.

The dwelling house of John Everts, a mile from Fannettsburg, was totally destroyed by fire last Friday evening. Some of the furniture was saved. There was no insurance.

HIDES.—James Sipes & Son, pay the highest market price for beef hides at their butcher shop in McConnellsburg, also highest price paid for calf skins, sheepskins and tallow.

When others abuse us it is well to consider the class of people they most admire. Such reflection oftentimes makes us bear the abuse with contented cheerfulness.

The man ingrained with selfishness and who invariably acts from selfish motives finds it well nigh impossible to believe that anyone else can act towards his fellows in an unselfish spirit.

D. Riley Garland, who has been a tenant farmer on the Abram Fox farm in Ayr township for several years, has purchased a farm in Bedford county, five miles from Everett, and will move upon it this spring.

A. M. Hixson has sold his farm in Brush Creek Valley, and had public sale of his personal property and intends removing to Elkins, W. Va., where he will be engaged in the lumbering business.

An exchange remarks that "it doesn't hurt any man to know how to cook a meal or make up a bed." The greater need, however, is to convince our modern girls that these things are not hurtful.

Robert C. Dixon, formerly of this county, but for several years a resident of Pittsburg, has purchased from A. M. Hixson the Enoch Hixson farm near McKendree Church in Brush Creek valley, and will take possession of it in a short time.

Sunday school was reorganized recently at the Buck Valley Christian church as follows: Geo. Lehman, superintendent; Gilbert Dudley, assistant superintendent; Miss Laura Hendershot, secretary; James Deneen, treasurer; Miss Alice Deneen, Mrs. Susie Barney, Mrs. John E. Hoopen-gardner, Scott Bottenfield, Louise Stahley, and Gilbert Dudley, were chosen as teachers. Sunday school every Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m.

Mail order houses are flooding the country with their literature. Just in so far as those houses are patronized, so is the trade of local merchants injured, and that involves injury to the town in which they do business. Besides the local patriotism, which should always be a strong factor with every citizen, it is to one's personal interest to buy of home merchants. Taking everything into consideration one can almost invariably buy more cheaply and to better advantage of them than of the catalog houses who grant no accommodation to the purchaser.

Nothing to do With Rainfall.
"Forests have nothing whatever to do with rainfall, drouths or with floods."

This bomb was hurled into the camp of the forestry enthusiasts Wednesday of last week by Prof. Willis L. Moore, chief of the Weather Bureau, in the shape of a report submitted to the Secretary of Agriculture, and if it is not thrown back at him by ex-Forester Pinchot's friends at Washington it will be surprising. What makes the forestry experts especially wrathful in reading Prof. Moore's report is the tone of condescension that he adopts.

"It is a pity that errors of the past centuries," he writes, "should still continue to be disseminated long after scientific research has overthrown them. In this day and generation the idea that forests increase or diminish the quantity of rain that falls from the clouds is not worthy to be entertained by rational and intelligent men."

SAVED FROM AWFUL PERIL.
"I never felt so near my grave" writes Lewis Chamblin, of Manchester, Ohio, R. R. No. 3, "as when a frightful cough and lung trouble pulled me down to 115 pounds in spite of many remedies and the best doctors. And that I am alive to-day is due solely to Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. Now I weigh 160 pounds and can work hard. It also cured my four children of croup." Infalible for coughs and colds, it's the most certain remedy for lagrippe, asthma, desperate lung trouble and all bronchial affections, 50c and \$1.00. A trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Trout's drug store.

WATERFALL.
Blaine Bergstresser and family spent last Sunday at W. C. Gracey's.

Irvin Ramsey and family spent last Saturday and Sunday at Jas. Barnett's.

George Edwards has taken a trip west.

Oscar Cromwell purchased the David Hershey farm for \$1,200.

S. C. Gracey has been on the sick list during the last two weeks. Dr. McClain is attending him.

Taking advantage of the good sledding, A. N. Witter moved 300,000 feet of lumber to Three Springs. Andy knows a good thing when he sees it.

John Gracey returned home from the West last Friday. He reports work plenty and board scarce.

Viola McClain was the guest of Isaac McClain last Sunday.

Owing to the continued good sleighing this winter, Mr. James Doran has purchased a Portland cutter. Although 87 years of age, Jimmy enjoys getting around among his neighbors in his comfortable vehicle.

Our fox hunter is busy. The cunning Reynard walks the fence and thus lives "to be hunted another day."

James W. Cutchall entertained a very large party of young folks last Sunday.

D. A. Black ventured home from Broadtop City last Sunday on the ice.

Joseph H. McClain, a conductor on the P. R. R., who had been called to New York City as a witness in a \$50,000 suit (Bartucci vs P. R. R.), returned to Waterfall last Thursday.

Misses Stella and Gladys Gracey, and John and Adam Vallance spent last Sunday at A. L. Shaw's. S. D. Wolf spent last Sunday at S. C. Gracey's.

Good Sized Man.
Peter Klees, police magistrate of Aurora, Illinois, weight 595 pounds, died suddenly at his home recently, and relatives had to face the problem of his burial.

A portion of the front of Klees' home was torn down to permit of the remains being carried out. No hearse big enough to accommodate the huge casket was obtainable, and the great coffin was piled on a bob sled. The casket was of exceptional size and strength. Ten of the strongest men in Aurora acted as pallbearers. Klees was not merely portly; he was a giant figure of a man. He was six feet three inches in height and was large boned.

Won't Need a Crutch.
When Editor J. P. Sossman, of Cornellus, N. C., bruised his leg badly, it started an ugly sore. Many salves and ointments proved worthless. Then Bucklen's Arnica salve healed it thoroughly. Nothing is so prompt and sure for ulcers, boils, burns, bruises, cuts, corns, sores, pimples, eczema, or piles. 25c at Trout's drug store.

Local Institute.
The third local institute of Wells township was held at No. 3 School Friday evening Jan. 28th. It was a very stormy evening and there was not a very large crowd present; nevertheless the teachers did not lack interest in the meeting, but showed by their talks that they are earnest in their work, and wish to learn so as to be more successful.

Director John R. Lockard gave a helpful talk, and some of the pupils helped to entertain by reciting.

The topics discussed were; 1. Reviews; their importance; 2. Phonetic Spelling; how best taught; 3. History; 4. Grammar. The teachers present were Frank Guillard, Fred Lodge, and Miss Laura Edwards.—Mabel Edwards, Sec'y.

THOMPSON.
What has happened to Thompson? Has she frozen or was she washed away during the high waters of a few weeks ago?

Quite an interesting institute was held at Center schoolhouse last Tuesday evening. All the teachers of the township were present; also, County Superintendent Lamberson, and a number of patrons and directors who took an active part in the discussions.

Mrs. J. C. Douglass and Mrs. W. A. Latton spent last Wednesday at B. R. Simpson's.

John Hess has received his commission and is now postmaster at Dickey's Mountain.

Walter Shaw is moving from near Hancock to his mother's farm near Big Cove Tannery.

Wilson and Ernest Zimmerman entertained a number of their friends at the home of their parents, Ira Zimmerman and wife last Saturday evening.

Bruce Paylor and Abbie Pittman, of McConnellsburg, spent Saturday and Sunday at George Paylor's.

The Bald Eagle Literary Society still grows in interest. New officers were elected at the last meeting. They will be inaugurated at the next meeting, on Saturday evening. Subject for next meeting: Resolved that cash road tax should be abolished.

Bess Simpson returned home last Sunday, after a very pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. Harry Atkinson, in Mercersburg.

Tuesday, March 29.—Mrs. Jennie Anderson, intending to remove, will sell at her residence at Dublin Mills, valuable household property consisting of 1 cook stove and fixtures, good as new; good coal stove, 2 iron bedsteads, mattresses and springs, and 3 oak bedsteads—all good as new; sewing machine, kitchen furniture, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. James Chesnut, auct.

About 9 o'clock Saturday morning, January 29, the lifeless body of John B. Nunamaker was found suspended by a rope in the attic of his home about four miles west of New Paris, Bedford county. This was Mr. Nunamaker's second attempt at self-destruction. He had hanged himself in the cellar of his home a few weeks ago, but was cut down while yet alive.

Sale Register.
Thursday, February 17.—Thos. B. Latton, having sold his farm, will sell at his residence in Thompson township, 8 miles northeast of Hancock, and 2 1/2 miles southeast of Plum Run postoffice, 7 horses and colts, 12 head of fine cattle—all good stock, farming implements, consisting of a new McCormick Binder, new Superior Grain Drill, Cornplanters, McCormick Mower, plows, wagons, buggies, cutter, harness, household goods, &c. Sale will begin at 10 o'clock, rain or shine, and a credit of 8 months will be given on sums over five dollars.

Saturday, February 19.—Clem C. Brant, intending to quit farming and remove to Altoona, will sell at his residence 2 miles north east of Harrisonville, on the road leading to McConnellsburg, horses, cattle, farming implements, hay, grain, household goods, &c. Credit 8 months. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. A. L. Wible, auctioneer.

Thursday, February 24.—C. R. Shore, intending to remove from the County, will sell at his residence at Clear Ridge, household goods and other articles. Sale begins at 10 o'clock, and a credit of six months will be given on all sums more than five dollars.

Tuesday, March 1.—H. B. Huston, having sold his farm and intending to quit farming will sell at his residence 1 mile north of Hustontown, horses, cattle, farming implements, grain of all kinds and potatoes. Sale will begin at 10 o'clock. James Chesnut, auctioneer.

Wednesday, March 2.—J. M. Anderson will sell at his residence 1 1/2 mile south of Three Springs, on the road leading from Three Springs to Maddensville, 2 spans of good mules, 6 horses, 4 milk cows, 12 sheep, 10 hogs, farming implements, 6 buggies good as new, 18 sets of harness, wagons, &c. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. A. L. Wible and A. L. Burns, auctioneers.

Thursday, March 10.—W. E. Snyder, intending to quit farming, will sell at his residence on the A. J. Fore farm, about a half mile northeast of Knobsville, horses, cattle, hogs, farming implements, and many other things. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. A. L. Wible, auctioneer.

Monday, March 14.—Adam Oyler will sell at his residence on the Peach Orchard road, 4 miles northwest of McConnellsburg, live stock, farming implements, hay, grain, cornfodder, &c. Sale will begin at 10 o'clock. A. L. Wible, auctioneer.

Tuesday, March 15.—P. Scheideman intending to quit farming will sell at his residence on the James Henry farm about a half mile north of Knobsville, horses, cattle, farming implements, and other articles. Sale begin at 10 o'clock. A. L. Wible, auctioneer.

Friday, March 18.—J. F. Johnston having rented his farm, will sell at his residence in Ayr township, four and a half miles south of McConnellsburg, 9 head of horses and colts, high bred stock, 20 head of cattle, among which are grade Holsteins and all well bred, 10 sheep, 10 hogs, farm wagons, binders, mowers, hay rake, drills, corn plows, wagons, sleds, harness, corn oats, &c., &c. The farm implements are all practically as good as new—none of them having been in use over four years. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. 12 month credit on sums over TEN dollars. A. L. Wible auctioneer.

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WOMAN HAS 580 DESCENDANTS.
Has Seen Five Generations and Hopes to Live to See Six.

There is not another mother in the land so far as is known who can boast of the record of Mrs. Jane Morris, who lives at Sand Gap, in Jackson county, Kentucky. Mrs. Morris married at 13 and is the mother of 15 children, of whom 11 are living. She has 126 grandchildren of whom 97 are living; 391 great-grandchildren, of whom 317 are living, and 47 great-great-grandchildren, of whom 43 are living, and this fifth generation is now approaching maturity. Her total descendants number 580.

Mrs. Morris says she hopes to live to be 100 years old and see some of her sixth generation. One of her daughters, Mrs. Sallie Sparks, is the mother of 16 children. Mrs. Morris' husband died 15 years ago, and she never married but once.

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Notice.
My Dear Fellow Pastors of Fulton County:

The Fulton County Sabbath Association kindly and earnestly requests that every pastor in the county devote one service in his pulpit or on each of them, to "The Claims of the Lord's Day," on some one or other of the Sabbaths of the month of February. Should your appointments be such as to render this impossible, then on the first Sabbath possible thereafter.

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